



## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 2881

**PATENT** 

Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 09981.0007-01

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Miodrag CEKIC, et al.	) Group Art Unit: 2881
Application No.: 10/632,893	Examiner: Phillip A. Johnston
Filed: August 4, 2003	Confirmation No.: 2897
For: APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF TREATING A FLUID	) Mail Stop AF )
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
Sir:	

## **REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 13, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following remarks.